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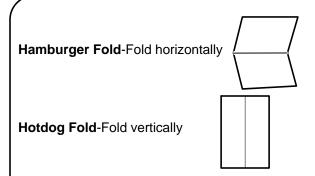
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### Things to Know



Folds-Labeled with a small line to show where the fold is and the words "hamburger fold" or "hotdog fold."

**Dotted Lines-**These are the cutting lines

**Cover Labels**-Most of the booklets that are folded look nicer with a label on top instead of just a blank space. They will be labeled "cover label."

#### So where do the mini-booklets go?

A color-coded and labeled KEY is included. This key shows you where all of the mini-booklets go in each folder. Keep this page handy! You'll also see at the top of the mini-booklet pages another graphic that shows <u>once again</u> where to place the booklet in each folder. So there are TWO ways to see where to place the booklet. We made it easy! You won't get lost.

#### How do I use the book with the lapbook?.

At the top of the pages, you will find a "key" that shows the placement of the booklet. Also included is the construction of the booklet, what to put in the booklet, and the page numbers that correspond to the Trail Guide to Bible Geography text.

#### **Lapbook Assembly Choices**

(see photos on how to fold and glue your folders together)

Choice #1 -Do not glue your folders together until you have completely finished all three folders. It is easier to work with one folder instead of two or three glued together.

Choice #2 -Glue all of your folders together before beginning. Some children like to see the entire project as they work on it. It helps with keeping up with which folder you are supposed to be working in. The choices are completely up to you and your child!

#### **How It All Goes Together**

#### What you need to get started

- \*Trail Guide to Bible Geography book
- \*A printed copy of the *Trail Guide to Bible* lapbook 1 by A Journey Through Learning
- \*3 colored file folders
- \*Scissors
- \*Glue
- \*Hole puncher
- \*Brads
- \*Stapler

#### To make the storage system (optional)

- \*Duct tape (preferably at least two different colors but not necessary)
- \*One 3-ring binder

# Can I store all of the lapbooks I create from Trail Guides to Bible Geography in one location?

Yes! A Journey Through Learning has come up with a way that you can store all of your lapbooks from your books in ONE convenient location. A 3-ring binder serves as a great place to keep your lapbooks. This method of storage not only keeps your lapbooks from getting lost but also keeps them neat and readily available to show to dad, grandparents, friends, etc. When they are not being shown off, just place the binder on your bookshelf! On the next page, we have given you step-by-step directions (with pictures) of how to create a storage binder.

#### How to make a storage system for your lapbook(s)



Roll out enough duct tape to go across the folders lengthwise.



Put duct tape sticky side up. Place binded edge of lapbook on the duct tape (no more than ¼ inch!).



Then stick duct tape to the other side again about ¼ inch. There will need to be enough tape to hole punch.



Stick duct tape into hole puncher but be careful not to punch holes in your folders.



It will look like this.



Store folders in 3-ring binder.

# How to fold and connect the folders for your lapbook.



1. Gather the number of folders required for your particular lapbook.



2. Open up each folder and flatten it out.



3. Take the right side and fold it all the way over until the tab is just before the middle crease in the folder. Do not overlap this crease with the tab.



4. Fold the left hand-side over just to the crease but not overlapping it. Your folder now has two flaps. We like to run a ruler down each fold to make the fold neater and flatter. Do steps 3 and 4 to the remaining folders.



5. Take two of the folders and apply a generous amount of glue to their flaps.



6. Bring the flaps together and press so they stick together.



7. Do steps 5 and 6 to your remaining folders (if any).



8. The patterns for all the mini-booklets are provided. Just cut out, construct, and glue them into your lapbook. Refer to the color-coded placement page or the actual mini-booklet page for placement of each mini-booklet.

This guide shows where to place the mini-booklets in each folder.

Folder 1
Weeks 1-7

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1

Week

4

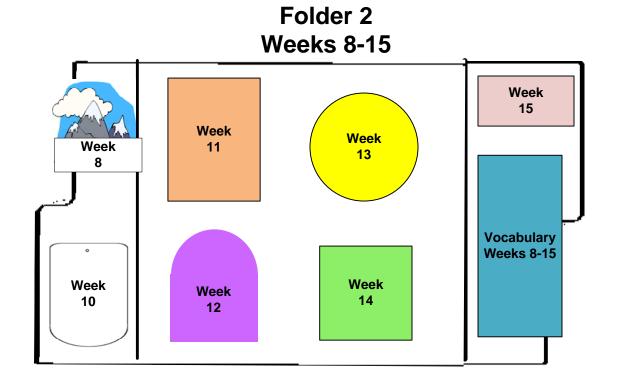
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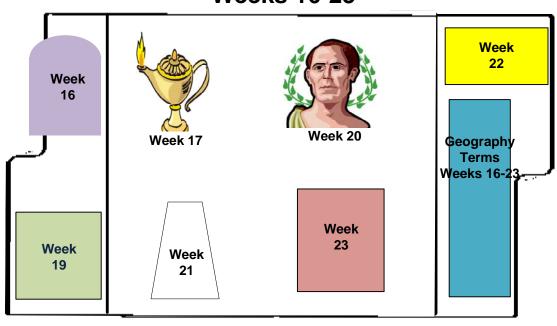
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Vocabulary
Weeks 1-7

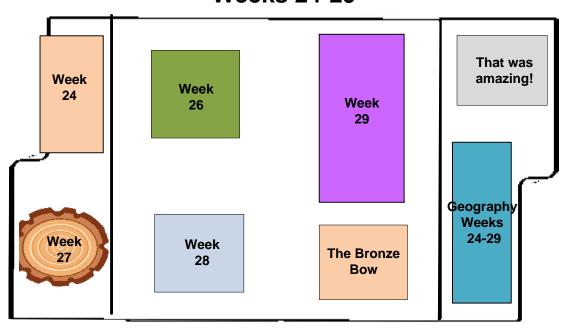


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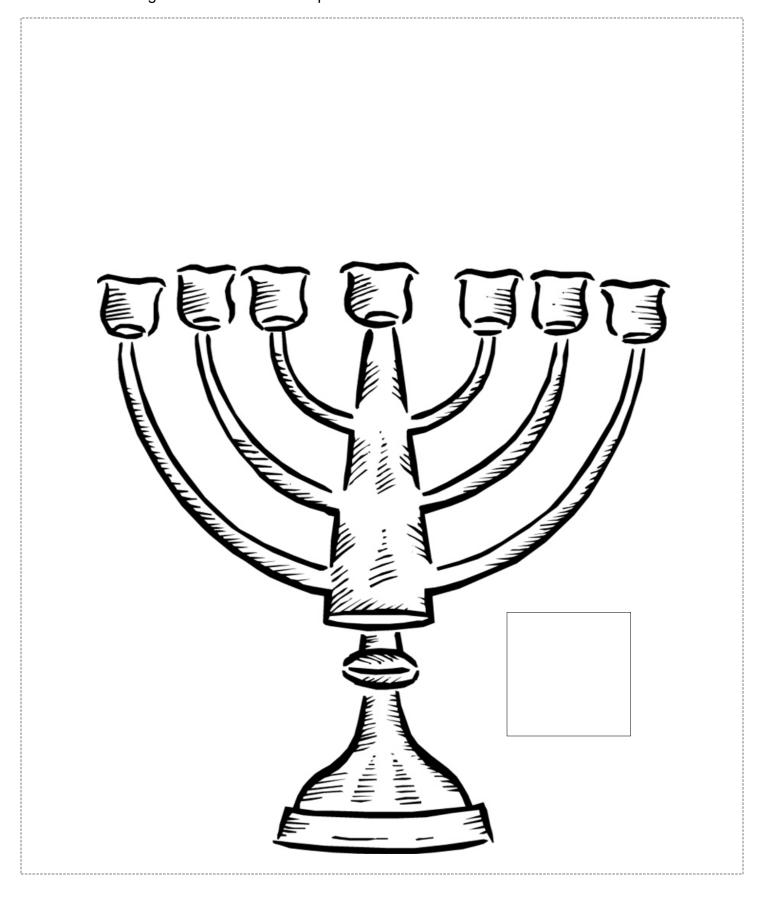
Folder 3 Weeks 16-23



Folder 4 Weeks 24-29



**Complete the scene**- Add the candles and flames to the menorah. Then count the candles and put the number in the box beside the menorah. Cut out around dotted lines and glue to front of closed lapbook.



Folder 1						

# Week 1 Abraham: Ur to Egypt

Cut out each booklet. Stack on top of each other with the cover sheet on top. Attach together with a brad or a piece of ribbon. Glue into lapbook. **Trail Blazing: Study the Fertile Crescent.** Fill out the information on each booklet.

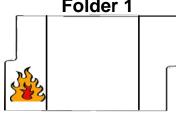
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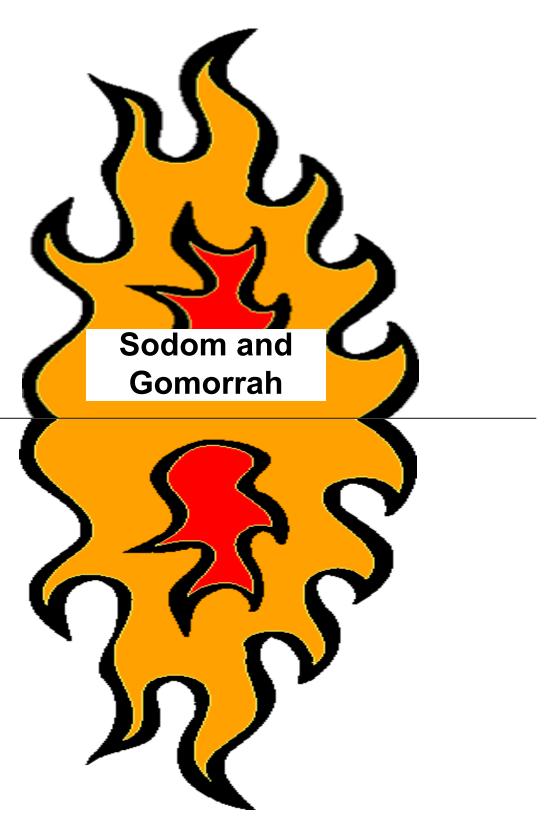
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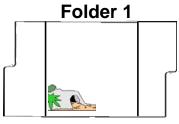




Hamburger fold on the middle line. Cut out around shape of flames. Glue into lapbook. Trail Blazing: God destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah with fire and brimstone. Fill out the information in the booklet.



### Week 3 Isaac: Canaan



Hotdog fold on the middle line. Cut out around shape of cave. Glue into lapbook. **Trail Blazing: Abraham and Sarah were buried in a cave near Hebron.** Fill out the information about caves in the booklet.

